

## LONE EAGLE BACK AT STARTING POINT AT APPOINTED TIME

### COL. LINDBERGH SAYS HE HAS NO DEFINITE PLANS FOR THE FUTURE

By Associated Press.  
New York, Oct. 21. Back at the starting point of his flight to world fame and his 22,350 miles tour of the country, Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh rested today without revealing definite plans for the future.

"I have no plans," he said. "I'm going to rest a few days and then make a short visit to Michigan. After that I frankly don't know."

Tanned, bright-eyed and smiling, the Lone Eagle swooped down out of the skies over Mitchell field and landed in his Spirit of St. Louis at 1:59 o'clock yesterday afternoon, one minute in advance of the time of an appointment made on July 20 when he started a tour that brought him before 30,000,000 people in 42 cities of the 48 States of the Union.

Two thousand persons, including Harry F. Guggenheim, president of the Guggenheim fund for the promotion of aeronautics, under the auspices of which Colonel Lindbergh made his tour, greeted him as he arrived here from Philadelphia.

The flier said he had no immediate plans, but only a desire "to drop out of the public view for a while."

**Will Not Enter Politics.**  
In the few moments he failed to talk of his plane, Colonel Lindbergh spoke freely that he would enter the political field or join the Department of Commerce.

"Absolutely not," he said, as he was told of reports he might enter politics, running for Congress. "When I know myself what I'm going to do, I'll announce it."

Usually the Colonel shifted the conversation from himself to the merits of the plane that had carried him through 355 hours of flying since he left San Diego, Calif., previous to his hop to Paris.

"The Spirit of St. Louis is in fine shape," he said, "but this looks like a good time to do it so I'm going to have it completely overhauled. It isn't destined for a museum yet. Eventually, but now no."

Statements by Mr. Guggenheim, William P. McCracken, Jr., Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Aviation and Harry S. New, Postmaster General, told how the tour had stimulated interest in flying in the air mail, and in construction of airports.

The flier had a stack of mail three feet high awaiting him. Most of the letters make business offers.

Lindbergh rejected chances to earn several million dollars even before he came back from Paris through work in the movies and on the stage and through thousands of business endorsement proposals.

He said he would engage in nothing that would not further the progress of aviation.

## RICHLAND BANK CASHIER IDENTIFIES MAN HELD IN JAIL

### SAME MAN HELD ON CHARGES OF HIJACKING IN OKLAHOMA OIL FIELDS

A white man, giving his name as Roy Hensley, was identified Saturday in the Wewoka, Okla., jail by J. G. Calame, assistant cashier of the First State Bank of Richland, as one of the men who robbed the Richland bank of \$2,000 in a speakeasy at Wewoka, Okla., Oct. 17.

Mr. Calame and Sheriff W. M. Wilson went to Wewoka Saturday.

The accused man is being detained in the Wewoka, Okla., jail in connection with four holdup charges, alleged to have been committed by him since his escape from a federal camp in this county after the holding of two Richland bank robbers.

He was wounded with a shotgun wound in the chest in Oklahoma while he was holding in jail, and received a charge of shot in the chest and arm. He fled and was later apprehended in Tulsa, according to Sheriff Wilson.

It will be remembered that the yellow Buick of Jack Womack, of Mexico, which was stolen on the morning of the robbery in Mexico, was recovered a few days ago after the bandits are alleged to have escaped in a row with officers in Bowlegs oil field in Oklahoma. Officers were held up and disarmed by the alleged bandits and the car was left there and another taken.

The whereabouts of the other two men in the Richland robbery are unknown to officers.

In a preliminary hearing before a district judge, the accused man was allowed bond in the sum of \$5,000 in one of the four cases, while the district judge at Wewoka refused bail on the other three cases. It is not known whether local officers will be able to bring him back here for trial before the disposition of the cases against him in Oklahoma, where he was stated to Sheriff Wilson that the death penalty would be asked. After the trial of the cases there, he will probably be brought in Corsicana to stand trial for the robbery of the Richland bank.

Mr. Calame positively identified the man as one of the two men who entered the bank and got the money. The victims in the four hold-ups in Oklahoma also positively identified the accused man. He is said to have refused to confess to either of the jobs.

Both county and city officers of Navarro county and Mexico officers have been working on this case since its occurrence.

No formal charges had been filed in this county against Hensley Monday afternoon as it is highly probable that he could not be brought back here before his trial on the Richland bank recently.

## SEVEN KILLED AS RESULT CRASHES OF PLANES IN AMERICA

### FOUR OTHERS INJURED IN AIR ACCIDENTS IN UNITED STATES SUNDAY

By Associated Press.  
New York, Oct. 21. Airplane and parachute accidents in the United States yesterday took seven lives and resulted in injuries to four. In Japan the air ship No. 1 crashed after being forced into the sea. The crew was rescued.

Two aviators were killed in a crash at Leesville, N.Y., when their plane crashed into a cemetery as they attempted to land at an airport a short distance away. The bodies were burned beyond recognition, although the victims were believed to be Carl Carr and Don Connel.

L. Brengman, and M. C. Elting, mothers, were killed when an airplane crashed against the side of a hill in a heavy fog near Santa Monica, Calif. J. A. Dury of Santa Monica, pilot and owner of the craft, was critically injured.

Bernard Albright, 20, of Detroit, a passenger, was instantly killed when the plane in which he was riding crashed near Mount Clemens, Mich. Hollis Woodworth, the pilot, was said by flying field officials to have had no flying license. He escaped with slight injuries.

W. S. Lesoman, Jr., of Los Angeles, was killed at Los Angeles and Kenneth Davis, a student pilot, was killed at Kansas City when their parachutes failed to open after they jumped from an airplane at an altitude of 2,000 feet.

Clarence Huger, 18, and Sarah Duncan, 17, were slightly hurt when their plane ripped through a fence as Hanger misjudged the distance in bringing his plane down near his home in Donegal, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. McEntire, two sons, R. B. and Homer, and daughter Evelyn, and Miss Christine Church, spent Sunday in Waco at the Cotton Palace.

## COMMITTEE STRONG IN CONDEMNATION OF BANKERS' ATTITUDE

### SENATOR CARAWAY, ARKANSAS, OUTSPOKEN IN CONDEMNATION OF BANKERS

By Associated Press.  
Houston, Texas, Oct. 21. Efforts of a committee to secure a hearing on the question of farm relief caused a flurry in the meeting of the agricultural committee of the American Bankers' Association today.

One of the main results of the apparent inability of all banking at the committee to secure a hearing on the question of farm relief was the departure of C. A. Tamm, director of agriculture, of this, for home. The action of the committee was so hostile, as he pointed out, he could not waste further time with its members.

The committee was headed by Senator C. H. Caraway of Arkansas and was brought together with George W. Hensley, former mayor of Arkansas, and president of a Little Rock bank. Other members included Dr. E. W. Kilgore, chairman of the board of trustees of the American Cotton Growers' Exchange in ten states, Hon. Clarence Onley, widely known in Texas as an advocate of farm relief, Art T. Lewis and Robert E. Walter, president and secretary, respectively, of the Arkansas Bankers' Association.

"We found a very hostile attitude on all sides against our proposition," Senator Caraway said, after the meeting, adding that what the committee desired was "to interest the bankers to the point where they would investigate the situation as it should be investigated and study our plan or formulate some plan for relief."

"And we feel," he said, "that this action on the part of the bankers in refusing to give us a hearing will only more convince the farmers that it is a concerted force against their relief."

Other members of the committee were equally outspoken.

Barton M. Smith of North Lake, Wis., chairman of the Bankers' Agricultural Committee, however, insisted in a statement given out after the conference that "There has never been any effort by the American Bankers' Association to stop discussion of any issue."

He explained, he said, to Senator Caraway, that the bankers' program had been arranged three months ago and that it could not now well be changed.

Rosenberg Plans are being made for piping natural gas to Rosenberg.

## FRENCH COURIERS SEEKING NEWS OF MISSING FRENCHMEN ACROSS MOROCCAN DEADLINE

By Associated Press.  
Rabat, Morocco, Oct. 21. Crossed the deadline of "safe" territory, the couriers of the French authorities have entered the mountain fastnesses of the two men and two women, as range bearing officers of the military authorities to rate on a hunting trip. The missing men are Yves Stoen, nephew of the Resident General, and Jean Matthe, a relative by marriage. Their companions were not taken, a veil of obscurity covered the kidnapping and it is only by word of mouth through the Moroccan tribes that the ransom motive of the kidnapping was learned.

As soon as this was determined, the authorities whose fears had been caused by the finding of the

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Editors were being made late Monday to mud off the gas flow from the "Old Lady 31" the Friday, encountered Saturday in the Elliott and Clark No. 2, offsetting the discovery well in the Cherokee county field. The flow is estimated at ten million cubic feet of dry gas.

As soon as the gas can be cut off, drilling will be resumed and the well deepened. While a majority of the interested operators are hoping for a big producer, none of them were willing to venture an opinion on the latest findings.

The gas pressure broke through a late Saturday morning while the well was in the hole and the plug had been drilled. The original well brought in late in March had considerable gas pressure behind the plug.

Read the Sun—get all the news.

### TICKETS ON SALE FOR LITTLE THEATRE COMING OFFERINGS

The sale of season tickets for the Little Theatre and general admission for "Old Lady 31" the Friday, evening play, has opened and tickets are now on sale at the Chamber of Commerce and at the P. & S. Pharmacy. The sale has been on for two days and the committee is grateful to find more than half already sold out.

The chairman of stage sets, Mrs. J. D. Hathorn, is searching for an old organ for "Old Lady 31." It is hoped that someone will help along the cause by having an organ of that type. He even, a much better prospect could be used. Many of the things to be used in the stage set, such as a 1800 vintage set not everything is that old. The costumes are all much newer, yet they appear to be late time faithful.

Read the Sun—get all the news.

## JUDGE SAYS STORY EITHER VERY ILL OR VERY GOOD ACTOR

### PUBLICITY OF OTHER TRIALS AND OTHER REASONS BRINGS TRANSFER

By Associated Press.  
Dallas, Texas, Oct. 21.—Trial of the Yancey Story, Krum bank robbery case, was transferred Monday to Sherman by Judge C. A. Pippen in Criminal District Court here on his own motion.

The decision to transfer the case came as Story lay on a cot in the court room in an apparently semi-conscious condition.

Publicly given the case at former trials here "and other good and sufficient reasons" were given by Judge Pippen as grounds for the change of venue.

Judge Pippen then excused the witnesses and the special venire panel of 500, after apologizing to the latter for having had them appear in his court three different times, due to a purported automobile accident to Story the night of October 16.

"You see this defendant Story lying there on that cot," said the Judge. "He is in a very critical condition—or he is very cleverly and ingeniously feigning illness. I am not a doctor and don't know. I will state, however, that I have my own opinion about his condition but you know that it is not binding on the higher court or anybody else. It would not be fair to try him in his apparent condition. Mr. Sheriff, take him back to jail."

Elbert Hooper, Denton county attorney, immediately put in a call for Roy Hudley, county attorney at Sherman, who replied that he would ask the court there to set the case for either November 11 or November 21.

As soon as his condition will permit Story will be transferred to the Grayson county jail, it was announced.

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## WHOLESALE ARRESTS MARKED FOURTH DAY COAL MINE STRIKE

By Associated Press.  
Trinidad, Colo., Oct. 21.—Forty eight persons including Paul Siedler, I. W. W. leader directing the strike in the Southern Colorado coal fields, were arrested near here today on charges of picketing. Two women were among those arrested.

By Associated Press.  
Walzenburg, Colo., Oct. 21.—Wholesale arrests of pickets sent out by the I. W. W. opened the fourth day of the strike in the Colorado coal fields. Between 50 and 60 pickets, including 20 women, were arrested early today and confined in the district court room here under guard.

Before they were arrested the pickets succeeded in suspending operations at the Cameron mine of the Colorado Fuel & Iron Company. At the Ideal mine of the Colorado Fuel & Iron Co., heavily armed mine guards stopped the advance of the pickets and held them until deputy sheriffs arrived

and made the arrests. The arrests followed the adoption of a resolution by the board of county commissioners of Huerfano county, pledging unlimited support to Sheriff Harry Capps and authorizing him to employ as many special deputies as he needed "to prevent picketing, protect property and lives."

Mines which suspended operations yesterday remained idle today despite the absence of pickets. I. W. W. leaders have not announced what action will be taken as the result of the arrest of the pickets. Those arrested included one woman with a small baby in her arms, and also a 14-year-old girl.

**Strike Leader Arrested.**  
By Associated Press.  
Denver, Colo., Oct. 21.—Governor Adams was informed today by members of the State Industrial Commission that Sheriff Marty of Los Animas county had placed Paul Siedler, leader of the I. W. W. strike in the Southern Colorado coal fields under arrest. Siedler is an international organizer for the I. W. W. and has been directing the strike activities in Walzenburg. The commissioners did not know on what charges, Siedler has been arrested.

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## JUSTICE SIDDONS DEFERS DECISION CERTAIN EVIDENCE

### RESUMPTION OF TESTIMONY IN FALL-SINCLAIR TRIAL MONDAY

By Associated Press.  
Washington, Oct. 24.—Evidence that Albert B. Fall had full information that the Interior Department had held claims to rights in Teapot Dome Naval reserve to be invalid before he required Harry F. Sinclair to quiet them by a payment of more than one million dollars, was presented by the Government today in their criminal conspiracy trial in the District of Columbia Supreme Court.

Detailing a conversation he had with Fall about the claims, Roy W. Tullman, a special agent of the General Land Office, said the Interior secretary said he had no doubt the claims had been finally disposed of, but that he was looking at the matter from the standpoint of a "cautious lawyer."

While conceding that he could not recall all of the conversation, Tullman said he remembered that Fall said that what worried him was that the claims might get into the hands of "unscrupulous persons who might undertake to make trouble for the government."

With the assistance of Herbert W. MacFerran, a geologist of the Interior Department, Tullman prepared to report for Fall, setting forth that the claims to lands on Teapot Dome were invalid.

Tullman's testimony furnished the high spot of the morning session of the court after Justice Siddons had decided to defer decision as to whether Sinclair's testimony before the Senate oil committee should be admitted.

By Associated Press.  
Washington, Oct. 24.—Decision as to admission at their criminal conspiracy trial of the testimony given before the Senate oil committee by Harry F. Sinclair and Albert B. Fall, was deferred today by Justice Siddons in the District of Columbia Supreme Court.

The Justice said he wanted further evidence as to whether Sinclair was subpoenaed before the committee before he passed upon so important a point in the present case.

Neither side had made it clear by the evidence, Justice Siddons said, whether Sinclair had appeared voluntarily, been invited or actually legally summoned.

The immediate point on which Justice Siddons had been asked to rule was on the admission of Sinclair's statements of December 24, 1925, to the Senate committee that he went to Three Rivers, N. M., in December, 1921, to see Fall about leasing the Navy's Teapot Dome oil reserves, which led to the present trial of the oil man and the former Secretary of the Interior.

**Never Legally Summoned.**  
At his trial for contempt of the Senate, Sinclair contended through counsel that he never had been legally summoned before the committee and consequently never was a legal witness, within the meaning of the contempt statute.

After long conferences between the seven leading attorneys and Justice Siddons the latter decided not to rule today and E. E. Eddy of the Honolulu Consolidated Oil Company, a former employee of the General Land Office, was the first witness called as the trial was started upon its second week. Eddy testified that in January, 1923, at the request of Charles B. Safford, administrative assistant to Fall, he directed Roy W. Tullman of the Land Office to prepare for Fall a memorandum giving the nature and status of the various claims relating to the Teapot Dome reserve.

**Paper Identified.**  
"What did you do with that memorandum?" Governor J. Roberts of special government counsel, inquired after the witness had identified the paper.

"I delivered it to Mr. Safford," Mr. Roberts then offered the memorandum in evidence, but without claiming that it was accurate and it was admitted over objection of the defense.

The document set forth that the claims of the Pioneer Oil Company finally had been rejected long before Sinclair brought them up and presented a quit claim deed to Fall as a preliminary move to obtaining the lease.

**Should Not Drill Reserve.**  
Summing up the report, said there was no mineral claims in Teapot Dome "worth serious consideration" and added that from both a geological and operative point of view drilling should not be started on the reserve.

Eddy said he examined the Sinclair lease, but did not draft it. "Who drafted the preamble?" Roberts inquired.

"Secretary Fall dictated the preamble in my presence."

Cross-examined by George P. Hoover, counsel for Sinclair, Eddy said he gave a regular form lease to Arthur W. Ambrose, who was directed by Fall to prepare the lease.

## Leo Diegel Retained Golf Championship

By Associated Press.  
Washington, Oct. 24.—Leo Diegel of Fenimore, N. Y., Sunday retained his Middle Atlantic open golf championship by defeating Fred McLeod, Columbia Country Club professional here by one stroke in an eighteen-hole play-off of their tie Saturday.

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## Court House

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The following have been summoned as petit jurors for the fifth week of the October term of the district court for the week beginning Oct. 31:

W. R. Hall, Emhouse; J. J. Carter, Rice; A. W. Cockman, Rice; C. B. Stokes, Emhouse; J. M. Elrod, Drane; J. R. Castelow, Pursley; F. M. Farris, Rural Shade; J. M. Hunter, Powell; F. H. Massey, Bazette; C. E. Brunner, Korens; W. H. Dillard, Korens; R. F. Bartlett, Rice; S. S. Sharpley, Emhouse; G. E. Stubblefield, Dresden; E. M. Pullin, Eldorado; G. D. Massey, Dresden; R. D. Salter, Emhouse; W. E. Bowman, Frost; L. O. Satter, Corsicana; J. H. H. Blake, Jr., Corsicana; H. L. Boyd, Blooming Grove; J. M. Smith, Frost; C. A. Tallos, Frost; A. E. Dato, Corsicana; J. N. Edmon Jr., Mildred; H. A. Roloff, Eldorado; J. B. Terrell, Dresden; J. E. Harville, Emhouse; W. H. Rice; J. C. Dobbs, Rice; Grover Cleveland, Frost; C. B. Haley, Corsicana; Albert G. Daniels, Corsicana; James R. Petty, Corsicana; R. M. Riley, Emhouse; Lucy Bell Kerecs.

Levis Armstrong vs. Verdie Armstrong, divorce granted.

Reiter Erwin vs. Fred Erwin, divorce granted.

Martin Farmer vs. Lizzie Farmer, divorce granted.

Annie Sinclair vs. V. G. Sinclair, divorce granted.

Eliza Williams vs. Jim Williams, divorce granted.

Alice Smith vs. Arthur Smith, divorce granted.

The mandate of the Court of Criminal Appeals in the Robert Daniels case, who was recently convicted of murder in connection with the death of Floyd Gowan both negroes, near Emhouse, July 3, 1926, reversing and remanding the case, was received here Monday. The accused negro received a sentence of ten years in the penitentiary. The case was reversed and remanded Oct. 5, 1927.

This is the last week of the civil docket of the district court for a few weeks and the trial of criminal cases will begin in the district court next Monday.

**District Clerk's Office.**  
The following case was filed:  
Will McCoppy vs. Ella McCoppy, divorce.

**Sheriff's Office.**  
Deputy Sheriff Rufus Povehouse, Jess Speed and W. McMurray secured 32 pints of choc beer and one gallon of whiskey in a raid on the East Side of Corsicana Saturday afternoon. One arrest was made in connection with the raid and he later made bond in the sum of \$1,000 to await the action of the grand jury.

**Warranty Deeds.**  
Myrtle L. Carnahan et vir to J. F. Reed, 1 acre James Powell One-Third League survey, \$3,000.

Bryant Moyo et ux to Mrs. T. K. McClellan, 87 acres Samuel McKay survey, \$5 and other considerations.

**Mineral Deed.**  
W. M. Higgins to J. M. W. Simmons, 1-320 Interest in 2.50 acres of land seven miles north of Bolton, Bell county, in Tennessee Valley, \$100.

**Marriage License.**  
S. B. Anderson and Fluddie Cowart.

T. J. Parker and Margaret Gant.

Lelloy Folk and Lee Etter Gentry.

Philip Mullins and Alice Winn.

Joe McKay and Lillie Mae Ward.

Richard Gandy and Mamie Boyd.

R. L. Richardson and Ella Steln.

John Vinson and Maggie Spaul.

Johnson Howell and Annie Tadney.

Ben Garado and Carmine Garst.

**Justice Court.**

One was fined Monday by Judge Sam B. Jordan for the alleged violation of the highway laws.

One was fined for alleged highway violation by Judge W. W. Clifton Monday morning.

## OLDEST SALLISAW BANK CLOSED ITS DOORS ON MONDAY

POOR CROPS AND LOW  
PRICES THEREFOR GIVEN  
AS CAUSE SUSPENSION

By Associated Press.  
Sallisaw, Okla., Oct. 24.—The First National Bank, oldest and largest bank in Sequoyah county failed to open its doors today. A Federal bank examiner took charge of the institution. Poor crops and low prices for farm products since 1919 are said to be the cause of the bank's failure.

W. H. McDonald is president of the institution. His son, J. F. McDonald, active vice president, was president, was in charge of the bank.

L. T. Newlon, cashier, resigned several weeks ago because of poor health.

Several hours before the time set for the bank to open today a barn owned by the bank with several hundred tons of hay and farm implements taken in on notes and mortgages, were destroyed by fire. The origin of the blaze has not been determined.

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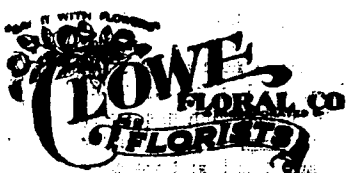
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## GEOLOGISTS CLAIM NO DANGER TEAPOT DOME BEING DRAINED

By Associated Press.

Washington, Oct. 21.—Through geologists, the government's oil counsel endeavored today in the district of Columbia Supreme Court to disprove the contention of the defense that the compelling motive of Albert B. Fall in leasing Teapot Dome to Harry F. Sinclair was the danger of drainage by adjacent oil wells.

George Otis Smith, director of the geological survey, testified that in the latter part of October, 1922, six months before the lease was executed by the former secretary of the interior, he sent a competent geologist to Teapot Dome who reported that the situation as to possible drainage had been unchanged since the date of the executive order establishing the Wyoming naval oil reserve.

At the outset of the criminal conspiracy trial today, the defense placed before the jury correspondence between Fall and the late Senator Robert M. La Follette of Wisconsin, concerning the navy reserves.

Fall's letter was dated April 12, 1922, three days after the lease was signed, and it gave the first information that Teapot Dome had passed from government possession. He spoke of what he thought was the danger of drainage and added that "it is not the purpose to sell oil, but simply to preserve it above the ground if it cannot be preserved under the ground."

**Military Purposes Involved.**

The then secretary said also that military purposes were involved in the lease and that details could not be made public without the authority of the President, but he enclosed a memorandum giving the high spots in the lease signed by Sinclair.

It was after receipt of this letter that Senator La Follette set in motion machinery of the Senate, the operation of which resulted in the sensational investigation of 1923-24.

Smith told the court that he sent a geologist, K. C. Heald, to Teapot Dome at the suggestion of Fall to investigate the reported danger of drainage.

"Heald told Secretary Fall in my presence," said Smith, "that there was no imminent danger of drainage in Teapot Dome. I do not remember that I did more at that time than to vouch for Heald."

"Three days later, I went to Fall's office with a written transcript of Heald's oral statement, which I gave the secretary. After that I was not consulted by Fall about Teapot Dome at any time."

**Report Told of Drainage Danger.**

Questioned by the court, Dr. Smith said Heald was sent to Teapot Dome because of a report made in September, 1921, by Carl H. Wagner, a government geologist, that there was danger of drainage in Teapot Dome.

Heald, who now is staff geologist of the Gulf Oil Company, identified his report, which recently was made public, as the report that Teapot Dome reserve but said there was some danger of drainage in the northern part, adjacent to the Salt Creek field.

Martin W. Littleton, of New York, of counsel for Sinclair, took up the cross examination in the trial. He developed that Wagner, man as the geologist who "laid out" Teapot Dome before its withdrawal in 1915 by President Wilson.

Were you asked to do any particular thing when you were sent out to Teapot Dome? Little inquired.

"I was asked to prove or disprove Wagner's map and report as to danger of drainage," Heald replied. The witness disclosed that the Wagner map in fact prepared by another geologist. He had no recollection that he saw that report in Washington, but he did see it in Denver.

**Christmas Visit Reviewed.**

Heald was excused and the government turned to the celebrated Christmas visit of Sinclair and Fall, Zevilly to Fall at Three Rivers, N. M., in 1921.

A telegram from C. D. Safford to Fall was read. It said Sinclair and Zevilly wanted to see him on an important matter and Fall replied, agreeing to the visit and adding that H. Foster Bain, director of the bureau of mines, would be there on December 21.

Government counsel then offered part of Sinclair's testimony before the Senate oil committee and the jury was excused while counsel argued as to its admissibility.

After counsel had disclosed that they would talk throughout the afternoon session, the jury was excused until Monday morning, as there will be no sessions of the court on Saturdays.

## TWENTY-ONE DEAD AS RESULT THEATRE FIRE IN FINLAND

By Associated Press.

Helsingfors, Finland, Oct. 24.—Twenty-one men and women were either burned to death or suffocated and a number of persons seriously injured in a fire in a motion picture theater in Tammerfors last night.

When the film caught fire the operator warned the spectators to flee. A panic ensued when, in trying to escape, they found the exits blocked by lines of people waiting to get into the next performance. They tried to fight their way through. The firemen, by turning their hoses on the waiting throng, forced a path for them.

In the meantime those in the galleries jumped to the floor. Thirty of them were taken to hospitals.

## AIR MAIL LOADS GROW HEAVIER IN WAKE OF LINDBERGH'S TOUR



A quarter of the people of the United States, it is estimated, have seen Col. Charles Lindbergh or his famous plane in the three months since he set out on his national air tour, concluded Oct. 23 at New York. And in the wake of his journey, air mail poundage has increased. Postmaster General Harry S. Dwyer, by leaps and bounds. Above are the New York-to-Paris flyer and his partner, The Spirit of St. Louis.

By Associated Press.

New York, Oct. 24.—The loads of letters in United States air mail planes have grown steadily heavier as Col. Charles A. Lindbergh toured the nation in his Spirit of St. Louis, famous New York-to-Paris plane, to advance the cause of American aviation.

Coincidental with the conclusion here yesterday of Lindbergh's epochal flight of 22,350 miles in three months across 48 states, Postmaster General Harry S. Dwyer revealed today the attendant growth of air mail volume, in a letter to the Guggenheim Fund for the Promotion of Aeronautics, by which Lindbergh's tour was sponsored.

In September, wrote Dwyer, air mail planes carried 156,885 pounds of letters as compared with 96,325 pounds in April, the month before Lindbergh's flight to Paris. Every intervening month showed a gain.

"Without doubt substantial encouragement has been given to use of the air mail by Colonel Lindbergh's tour," said the postmaster.

## MILIKIN SANITY TRIAL ATTRACTING MUCH ATTENTION

By Associated Press.

Lockhart, Texas, Oct. 21.—The sanity trial of A. V. Millikin, sentenced to electrocution for the alleged murder of Miss Virginia Petty, got down into religion and the bacon and egg essentials of life Friday when he took the stand in district court to tell of alleged mistreatment and malnutrition at the county jail.

Millikin was called to the stand by the defense in support of his motion for additional guards to be with him on trips from the jail, alleging that Sheriff Ellison mistreated him. Testimony in this connection was interrupted by noon recess, while the motion for change of venue based on alleged prejudice in Caldwell county, is still pending.

District Judge M. C. Jeffrey appointed Deputy John Sanders to take Millikin to jail at noon, instead of Sheriff Ellison, pending outcome of the guard motion.

Both sides got to examine Millikin, who sat with his feet propped on the witness stand railing. He had been given additional breakfast Friday morning after complaining of not getting enough to eat at the jail, and asking the court if he "couldn't have some supper on these midnight rides," referring to his trips to Austin for sanity examinations.

Millikin told his counsel, W. E. Hawkins, that he had been constantly in fear of Sheriff Ellison. District Attorney Blundell asked him what his religious belief is and Millikin replied sonorously: "I am not a member of any church, but am a spiritualist by belief."

Blundell wanted to know if the sheriff had mistreated Millikin. "He hawled me out once when a \$10 bill was lost at the jail."

**Sheriff Was Heard.**

Sheriff Ellison called to testify, said Millikin had been fed fried chicken by Mrs. Ellison. The sheriff said he was humiliated by Millikin's complaints about the jail food, and had chided the prisoner with a warning that Mrs. Ellison would not "cook you any more fried chicken."

Millikin told defense counsel

general. "It is quite difficult to determine exactly what portion of this increase is due directly to the tour, but at every office where Lindbergh visited every state in the nation, there was a noticeable increase, especially for that day. The net result, I am sure, will prove that a definite gain was made."

Air mail poundage since April has been about twice as heavy, month by month, as a year ago.

In his national tour Colonel Lindbergh visited every state in the country, flew in approximately 260 hours almost the distance around the world, traveled 132,500 miles, attended 69 dinners, delivered 147 addresses, and was seen, either personally or in his plane, by a throng estimated at between 30,000,000 and 50,000,000 persons.

His trip began July 20, and lasted exactly three months and three days, terminating at New York, where it began. Only once in the course of 81 stops was he late—at Portland, Me., on account of heavy fog.

Hawkins, about his third trip to Austin Thursday night, which resulted in an injunction by Judge Jeffrey forbidding further removals of Millikin from the county.

"The sheriff took me to Austin," Millikin said. "I wouldn't dress myself. He said the trip was by order of the judge. I wanted to eat in Austin. The doctor talked insolently and I wouldn't talk."

Millikin said he was about 40 years old, had been a florist and "purty near everything," including a "student of chiropractic."

Blundell asked him if he knew what he was being tried for. "Circumstantial evidence," Millikin said. Later he said he understood it was for murder.

"Murder of some woman, according to the papers," Millikin continued. "Somebody by the name of Petty."

"Do you know you are sentenced?" Blundell asked.

"Millikin twisted around and looked at the judge.

"This fellow," he said, of Judge Jeffrey, "said it was death."

"Do you know you are sentenced?" Blundell asked.

"They didn't electrocute me," was the reply, "and I don't know whether I am or not."

**By Associated Press.**

Lockhart, Texas, Oct. 21.—Alleging that the attitude of Sheriff W. M. Ellison "is and has been distinctly hostile," and that he "fears for his life," A. V. Millikin, in a formal motion today asked Judge M. C. Jeffrey to name an additional attendant or guard to accompany him between the jail and court house where he is on trial for his sanity, following his conviction and death sentence for the slaying of Mrs. Virginia Petty.

Millikin was taken out of District Court Friday morning and fed four eggs, pie, coffee and a quart of milk, after he complained about not getting enough to eat at the county jail.

Millikin claimed he had no supper last night, and not enough breakfast Friday. State court defense agreed he should be given more breakfast.

As the second day of legal jousts preliminary to the sanity trial got under way, Dr. J. B. York, Houston, one of three affidants swearing belief that Millikin is insane, was placed by the defense in a seat in front of Millikin.

Before court opened today defense attorneys said they would put "some mighty important persons" on the stand to prove their claims

With the conclusion of the tour, Lindbergh is to prepare for the Guggenheim Fund a statement on the status of aeronautics as he observed them throughout the national tour, and his work is expected to occupy his time in the immediate future. He has made no announcement of his further plans.

The air mail figures made public by the Postmaster General New York since last April:

April	96,325
May	99,107
June	118,746
July	140,085
August	145,023
September	146,088

Lindbergh is estimated to have addressed, during his tour, some 2,000,000 persons who actually heard him speak, in addition to other multitudes who listened to radio broadcasts of his addresses. He dropped messages to 192 towns and cities in addition to the 82 at which he stopped, and he was greeted by governors in 23 state capitals.

**By Associated Press.**

Lockhart, Texas, Oct. 21.—Enjoined by his own court from removing A. B. Millikin, sentenced to electrocution, from Caldwell county, District Attorney Fred Blundell, renewed his fight Friday against the defense attempt to have the alleged slayer of Mrs. Virginia Petty, San Antonio, transferred to another county for lunacy trial.

District Judge M. C. Jeffrey, who sentenced Millikin to death some time ago, and called his sanity trial Thursday under orders of the State Court of Criminal Appeals, granted the injunction late Thursday night on application of defense attorneys. They acted on Millikin's story that he had been taken to Austin Thursday night for a sanity examination for the third time this week.

Blundell's trips with him Monday and Wednesday to Austin physicians were under fire, as illegal Thursday in an all-afternoon wrangle precipitated by the defense motion for a change of venue, alleging prejudice against Millikin in Caldwell county and charging its officials with a disinclination to hear the insanity plea.

## RUTH ELDER TIRED OF SEA; WANTS TO SOAR ALOFT AGAIN

By Associated Press.

Lisbon, Portugal, Oct. 24.—Ruth Elder, completing by ship a trans-Atlantic voyage begun by plane, is tired of the life of the sea and longs to feel again the thrill of flying.

On her trip on the steamship Lima, Miss Elder experienced an unexpected attack of sea-sickness and contracted a cold during a rainy day spent at Ponta Del Gada, Azores, last week. When the ship arrived at Funchal, Madeira Island, Miss Elder although in good spirits, said she was tired of being blown and longed to fly again.

The Lima is expected here Wednesday.

**Shamrock—Construction of new First Methodist church here progressing.**

## PRISON LIFE TRAGEDY THAT STRUCK TERROR TO MIND OF EARL CARROLL, JUST FREED

By Associated Press.

New York, Oct. 24.—The New York American today prints a copy-right article by Earl Carroll, theatrical producer, who was paroled from the Federal penitentiary in Atlanta last week, in which he paints a picture of prison life as "a tragedy that struck terror to his mind."

He fears he will never shake that terror.

After stating that there are 3,200 men in the prison, Carroll, who served part of a sentence of a year and a day for perjury in connection with the "girl in a bath tub" episode, says:

"There is a corridor there, a long, sepulchral lane along which each day there marches this army of forgotten men. It is a silent army for during their passage over the stone floor there must be no word spoken, one to another.

**Grooves Worn in Stone.**

"The constant passage of so many leaden feet has worn two deep grooves or ruts in the pavement. Even when the light is dim and you can't actually see these ruts, you can feel the depressions as you shuffle your feet. And in those furrows are ploved and planted the souls that go there."

"That is the road the men tread who have sinned against society. I don't know the answer. Certainly there is need for the protection of society, and its answer is prisons."

"As a producer of plays and a man with a sense of the dramatic I could not help but sense the immense drama of a prison with its ever-trudging, ever-leaden, evergrim and stark-souled army of forgotten men."

"It was tragedy so real, so dread that it struck terror to my mind, a terror that I fear I never shall shake."

"Can you wonder why a few poor

creatures, misled, misguided or puppets of fate, stagger back to the freedom that is blinding—just as it blinds me now—and cannot have the solace of loving hands or understanding hearts?"

**Help Needed As Freedom Comes.**

"I wish that some of those dear friends who gave me their help could have given it to those who need it if ever they are to come from the depths of the penitentiary pit."

"Next door to me was a man in his tenth year of servitude. He has a 90-year sentence to serve. Once I am told, he was a soldier and a brave one. He was thought to be a kindly man, when something snapped, I do not know what, nor do I condone him, as I am ignorant of the secret phases of his being. "But this I do know, that the life there has killed him mentally. He is beginning to rave now and is under observation. Soon he will be entirely mad."

**Hears Championship Fight.**

"The warden there is just, but kind. He has rules. One of the rules prohibits loud speakers for radios. But there are geniuses everywhere. There is one man who has set us an ear set that is not a loud speaker, but is audible to those who are near his cell. I was to this radio that I listened the night of the Tunney-Dampsey fight."

"The condition in our listening to that thrilling battle was that the first outcry, cheer or noise we made, the radio would be shut off immediately."

"Can you imagine how hard it was for those forlorn people, with a little of the outside world piped into the gray prison by a marvelous invention to keep from shouting out of sheer depression in that memorable seventh round?"

"But no one spoke, and we heard it all."

## ANOTHER FAILURE OF BIG MONOPLANE, DAWN, HAS NOT CAST DAMPER ON AVIATORS

## ANOTHER MOTION CHANGE OF VENUE FOR A. V. MILLIKIN

By Associated Press.

Lockhart, Texas, Oct. 24.—Two motions renewed by the defense in the trial of A. V. Millikin to determine his sanity, one for a change of venue and another for admission of certain excluded sections of the petition, were overruled by Judge M. C. Jeffrey this afternoon.

These motions were apparently the last minute maneuvers by defense attorneys to get their case in shape for submission to the jury, and court attaches expected testimony taking to begin immediately.

**By Associated Press.**

Lockhart, Texas, Oct. 24.—Another motion to have the sanity trial of A. V. Millikin, condemned slayer, transferred to another county probably will be filed, William E. Hawkins, defense counsel, announced here Monday about the time district court adjourned until afternoon without having heard any testimony.

He would not say what the motion would be based on. The first motion, alleging prejudice against Millikin in Caldwell county, was overruled.

Court opened prepared to take testimony but time out was granted the defense so that Dr. J. B. York, Houston physician, one of the three affidants as to his alleged insanity, could hold what he said was his sanity examination of the defendant who faces electrocution for the murder of Mrs. Virginia Petty. Millikin, who looked "peck" after a hair cut and shave, conferred at length with his attorneys.

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## FOUR WOUNDED AS BANDITS ROB BANK ST. JOE, ARKANSAS

By Associated Press.

St. Joe, Ark., Oct. 24.—Four men were wounded in a gun battle between citizens of the town and four bandits who robbed the St. Joe bank at 10 a. m. today.

One of the robbers was carried wounded to a waiting automobile by his confederates.

Others wounded are W. L. Hensley, merchant, shot in abdomen and expected to die; Albert Arnold, postmaster, and Harry Nunally, a mechanic, both slightly wounded.

Two escaped convicts, Lee Sliton and Troy Love, were recognized as leaders of the robbers, who obtained only \$300 in loot.

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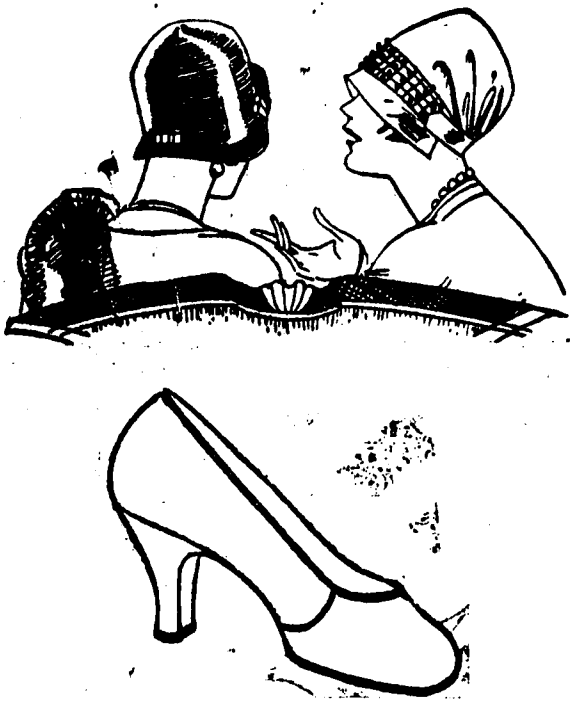
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## LEADING PURDON CITIZENS DISCUSSES PERMANENT ROADS

### COMING ELECTION FOR GOOD ROADS ATTRACTING MUCH INTEREST

The forth-coming good road election in the Purdon community on November 7th is attracting considerable interest and various phases of the program are getting thoughtful discussion from property owners.

"Good roads are a part of a community's equipment—roads are just as necessary for the life of a community as plows to a farmer," according to Joe L. Cox, long time resident of the Purdon community, former county commissioner, and a land owner who is very much interested in the progress of the Purdon section.

"Most any man wants good roads if he can get them on the right basis and I believe that Purdon will get this in the present program," contended Mr. Cox.

"In voting district bonds for roads the district has a considerable advantage," he pointed out. "This makes it possible for the district to plan a road system which means the most to the district, whereas if all roads were built first on a county-wide issue, the roads would have to be laid out from a county-wide standpoint which might always be just to the district's liking. Whereas if the roads are voted and built by the district according to their own desires, the district gets its own roads and has the opportunity when county-wide bonds are voted of having their indebtedness absorbed in the county-wide issue."

#### Wise to Vote Bonds Now

"According to present plans Purdon will get her own roads and then be at a distinct advantage whenever a county-wide program is put through. It seems to me that my old community of Purdon will be doing a very wise thing in voting these district bonds and putting themselves in a position to take advantage of a general program whenever it may be undertaken. Navarro county cannot continue long without having good roads throughout the county. The best argument for good roads is to have some high class roads in the county, well built, at an economical cost, and give the people a chance to ride over these. Our citizens throughout the county, once they get a chance to ride on such roads, are not going to be satisfied until these roads are continued into their communities and the district road program, once gotten underway, is unquestionably going to develop the desire of the whole county to extend the program and will result in all probability in a county-wide program. Such a county-wide program, while it would benefit all communities and particularly those who have had the foresight to clutch their own community road plans."

Mr. Cox is considered a thoughtful, conservative citizen and his opinion has been received with deep interest by his friends, and his opinion is shared by many of his fellow-citizens who have expressed themselves.

## CORSICANA BANKERS ATTENDING SESSIONS OF NATIONAL BODY

Several members of the local banking fraternity are attending sessions of the American Bankers' Association in session this week in Houston. The fact that Melvin A. Traylor, president of the Association, is well known to many local bankers, he having been engaged in the business at Hillsboro a number of years ago, makes this meeting all the more interesting to Corsicana bankers.

The following local bankers have already gone, or are expected to attend some of the sessions of the national body: Geo. E. Jester, president; J. B. Butler, vice president; and W. L. Holman, Jr., assistant cashier of the First State Bank; C. L. Knox, president, and G. C. Kent, vice president, of the Central State Bank; I. N. Cerr, president; W. M. Davidson, cashier, and Lloyd Hill, assistant cashier, of State National Bank; A. G. Elliott, president, R. C. Terry, cashier, and J. B. Fortson, chairman of the board, of the Corsicana National Bank; and J. N. Edens, president of the First National Bank.

### PERSONAL

Mrs. Charles Mabry of Kerens was in Corsicana Monday.

Oscar Ingram of Dallas spent the week-end in Corsicana visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Montgomery and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marberry motored to Mexico Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John King and Miss Lucille King of Blooming Grove were in Corsicana Monday.

Mrs. Zeme Simpson of Blooming Grove was in Corsicana Monday.

Mrs. S. M. Woodard and Mrs. Phil Woodard of Blooming Grove were in Corsicana Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. A. B. Clark and Misses Lilla Mae and Ora Belle Clark of Streetman were in Corsicana Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moore of Frost were in Corsicana Saturday.

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## MANY TEXAS RIVERS ALLEGED TO BE IN FILTHY CONDITION

### STATE ANTI-POLLUTION LAW WILL BE BROUGHT INTO FORCE IT IS STATED

By Associated Press.

Port Worth, Texas, Oct. 24.—Charges that an appalling situation has developed along a large number of Texas rivers, a situation that can in many instances be aptly termed filthy and dangerous to human as well as wild life, were made here in a statement by Judge J. R. Smith, Austin, who is in charge of the anti-pollution campaign being conducted by the State Fish, Game and Oyster Commission.

The statement was coupled with an announcement that the commission is determined to remedy this situation in accordance with provisions of the state anti-pollution law which was passed several years ago, amicably where possible, and through the courts where necessary.

Describing the condition along a large number of streams, Judge Smith declared that refuse of various kinds being discharged into rivers has killed fish, driven away wild ducks and other birds, made water unfit for irrigation and positively dangerous for cattle to even wade in.

Worse than killing of fish, however, in this phase is the fact that conditions for propagation of fish are rendered almost impossible in that most of the plant life upon which fish feed is destroyed.

#### Fish Disappearing

"Although we do not find large numbers of dead fish, save after a particularly heavy discharge of refuse into streams," said Judge Smith, "we know what is going on, for the fish are disappearing from such rivers."

Most of the stream pollution problems have developed with the oil industry in Texas, according to Judge Smith, and practically every section of the state where there is semblance of an oil field is affected. There are other sources of pollution, however, arising in cities, he said. Among the latter is the practice of certain industries of dumping refuse into streams. Instead of treating it in a modern disposal plant, he added, "The city of Port Worth is said to be an offender in that, having outgrown its sewerage disposal plant, part of the city's sewage is being turned in to the Trinity."

"Industrial development and the practice of dumping refuse into streams is just beginning in Texas, and what we see now is only a starter compared with what we will witness in the future unless something is done," said Judge Smith. "In fairness to the farmer, the stockman, the sportsman and nature itself, oil concerns, industries and cities should avail themselves of modern methods of disposing of their refuse."

#### Charges Filed

In line with the announced policy of carrying the fight on stream pollution to the courts where necessary, the second charge of polluting the Trinity River and its tributaries was filed here recently against officials of the Texas and Pacific Coal and Oil Company of Fort Worth, this charge being the seventh of its kind filed here recently. First complaint charged pollution of waste oil and the second by dumping sulphuric acid into the creek.

In previous filings, officials of four oil refineries near here and of the Minton Packing Company and the City Packing House were charged with violating the anti-pollution law.

## AGED HUBBARD CITY WOMAN BURIED THERE DIED FRIDAY NIGHT

Hubbard, Texas, Oct. 24.—Mrs. J. C. Pless, aged 75 years, died at the family home here at 11:50 o'clock Friday night and the funeral was held Saturday afternoon at the Hubbard Baptist church. Interment was made here.

Mrs. Pless was born in Alabama but had resided in the Hubbard community for thirty-four years.

Surviving are her husband, one son, Joe Pless, and one daughter, Mrs. Roy Lee Ferguson, both of Hubbard, one brother and one sister.

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## NEW COTTON PLANT DISEASE ASSOCIATED WITH ITS CULTURE

### "CRAZY TOP" HELD RESULTS OF UNFAVORABLE METH- ODS OF CULTURE

By Associated Press.

College Station, Texas, Oct. 24.—"Crazy top," a new disorder of the cotton plant, is closely associated with unfavorable cultural conditions, according to Dr. F. L. Ehm, chief of the division of entomology, agricultural experiment station here.

The disorder began to attract attention in the Salt River Valley in Arizona in 1919 and became so prevalent during the 1924-25 seasons as to cause serious financial losses on account of the sterility of the plants and the resultant low yields, according to Prof. Thomas, quoting as his authority a Department of Agriculture Bulletin on the subject. It added that "since the first description of the disorder by Cook in 1923, its occurrence over a wider range of cultural conditions has afforded evidence that the 'crazy top' in cotton is a result of stress in the plants. Although there are symptoms which are distinct from the ordinary stress conditions observed in cotton plants in other regions, the extent of injury is so definitely determined by the conditions that cultural methods are indicated as a practical treatment for the disease."

"A comparison of areas cropped to cotton for several years with adjoining areas where cotton fol-

lowed alfalfa, showed either a complete absence of the disease or only a few slightly affected plants on the land previously in alfalfa, while the areas cropped continuously to cotton showed a large proportion of affected plants, many of which were seriously damaged.

"The recovery of disordered plants when favorable conditions were restored and the failure of preliminary attempts to inoculate healthy plants indicate that the disease is of such a character that its development is caused by poor culture conditions rather than by infection."

"Fewer diseased plants and mild symptoms were observed on the outside rows and at the lower end of the fields with steep gradients that on the inside area, indicating that an increased supply of moisture, or more regularly available supply, was a controlling factor in such fields."

"Rotation with alfalfa or modified methods of irrigation, which bring about a deeper penetration of water, and more constant supply of available moisture in the lower root zone, would appear to be most practical measures of controlling the disease."

Considerable has been said about the disease in Texas but apparently this is the first official attention on the subject and on control methods.

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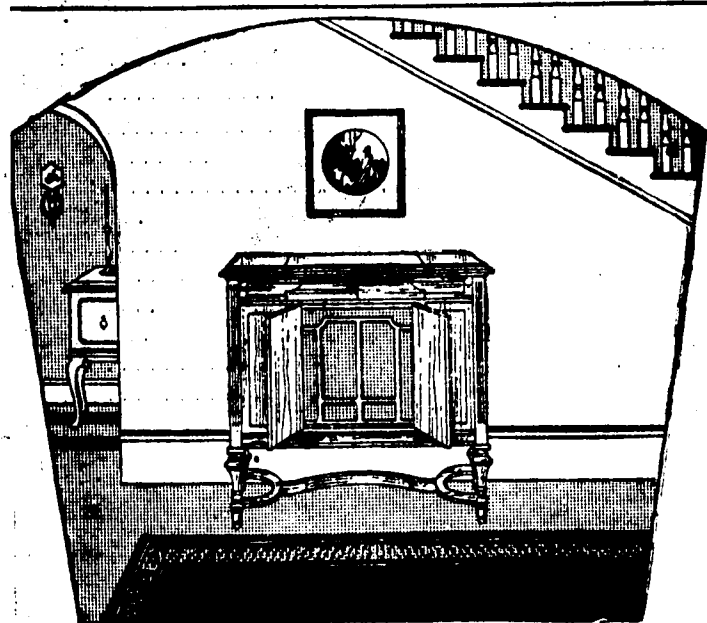
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## DEPARTMENTAL BANKING IS DESTINED TO BE ADOPTED BY MAJORITY OF BANKS

By Associated Press.

Houston, Texas, Oct. 24.—Departmental banking, although in its infancy, "is a mighty healthy youngster," W. R. Morehouse told the American Bankers Association at its annual convention here today and coupled with the statement a prediction that the time would come when nearly all banks in the United States would become departmentalized in order to render complete financial service because, he said, they would "find it to their advantage to take care of all their customers' needs, at least within reason."

Mr. Morehouse is vice-president of the Security Trust and Savings Bank of Los Angeles and is president of the Savings Bank Division of the Bankers Association.

Addressing the convention on "The Trend of Banking," Mr. Morehouse covered many angles of the subject including thrift, bank mergers, failures and robberies. But his conclusion was if he read the signs of the time correctly, that "there is every reason to believe that banking in the United States is on the verge of a great strengthening and their service improved as the natural result of the many constructive movements under way today."

### Bank Mergers Discussed

Bank mergers, he believes might not have the support of all bankers, but will have many supporters. Some bankers might see in mergers "grave consequences," but others will regard them as a good sign with "the monopolistic feature completely overshadowed by the added strength which mergers will give the merged banks."

Mr. Morehouse advanced the suggestion, which it was gathered previously had been made, that a remedy for the bank failures might be found in a minimum bank capitalization of \$25,000. In the main, he said, bankers are agreed that failure in many cases is due to under capitalization and added that the bank guaranty deposit plan has been tried "with disastrous results in certain cases."

Another sign of the time, Mr. Morehouse believed pointed to a reduction of the number of bank robberies which had alarmed bankers and had moved them to unite for definite action. In some sections vigilante committees had been formed on the basis of "shoot to kill." Other sections had offered a reward of \$1,500 for the capture of each bank robber with an additional reward of \$1,000 if the bank robber is brought in dead. "If I understand human nature," Mr. Morehouse somewhat grimly remarked, "the additional reward will have the effect of bringing in more robbers than live ones." Regardless of the best way to solve the problem, "one thing certain," he said, "our bankers are gradually making it hotter and hotter for the robber."

### Group Meetings Praised

Mr. Morehouse found almost promising sign of the times in the tendency in group meetings, lay their problems before the members and ask for suggestions. Some of the results had been an exchange of experiences in the use of business-building mediums, agreements to eliminate unwise competition and too much free service and had resulted in friendly co-operation and fair competition.

Considerable also had been done, he said by bankers to meet the attack of wild-cat promoters on bank deposits through advice to investors. Never before he said, have bankers co-operated to such an extent, in conjunction with newspapers and Better-Business Bureaus, to "rid the land of all schemes used to defraud our depositors." Many banks, he said, are already giving advice to contemplated investors and some have gone a step farther in establishing departments where depositors may purchase safe securities.

Another sign of the time, Mr. Morehouse said, pointed to concerted movement to discourage the promiscuous use of the term "banker," which, he said, "the horse pawn broker and the fly-by-night real estate dealer" sometimes appropriate. "This abuse," he declared, "has become so widespread that it is ridiculous," but he saw the time approaching when "a spade will be called a spade, a pawnbroker will be called a pawnbroker and only a banker will be called a banker."

Into the subject of thrift, the speaker said installment buying had entered and everywhere bankers were giving it close attention owing to its reckless abuse. "Hitherto thrift had been largely a matter of systematic saving but now it had become also a matter of wise spending as contrasted in thousands of cases with the purchase of luxuries and non-essentials."

Customers Being Educated  
Meanwhile, Mr. Morehouse said, customers were being educated in every day banking in order that they might meet bank demands and bank employees themselves being educated as they never had been before that they might better understand what they are doing.

American boys and girls, too, came in for a share of Mr. Morehouse's attention. "The boy or girl of the future," he said, "is not to be regarded as a nuisance in our bank lobbies as is the case today in many of our banks. Bankers are pushing school savings as never before," the speaker asserted, to "acquaint the American youngster, not only with thrift and the value

of money, but also as a means of acquainting him with our banks and with banking methods and practices. They are helping farmers with pig raising and corn growing clubs, Mr. Morehouse said. They are holding oratorical, essay and letter writing contests as a means of interesting youngsters in banking and as a part of a plan to "extend a helping hand to the American youth instead of regarding him as too inconsequential to command their attention."

Summing up, however, Mr. Morehouse asserted that "the signs of the times give assurance that banking is approaching a period of great improvement. 'Never before,' he said, 'have there been so many constructive movements under way at one time.'"

## USED CARS BURNED EARLY SUNDAY NIGHT LOSS PLACED \$5200

E. W. ELLIS & COMPANY DISPLAY ROOM GUTTED BY FIRE LATE SUNDAY

Fire of undetermined origin did about \$5200 damage to the E. W. Ellis and Company used car store, corner of East Fifth avenue and Commerce street, about 7 o'clock Sunday evening. Twenty-one cars were stored in the building and the tops and upholstery were badly damaged on the majority.

The fire broke out in the rear of the store and spread to the ceiling of the building. The building was owned by F. E. Newman and was damaged about \$1500 with \$9,000 insurance. The cars, belonging to the E. W. Ellis Company and the General Motors Corporation were damaged about \$3,500 with \$5,000 blanket insurance.

The Texas Cafe, owned by A. B. Whitaker next door was damaged about \$200 with no insurance.

## WEATHER BUREAU BALLOON IS FOUND NEAR CORSICANA

A weather balloon, sent up by the Weather Bureau Office, Groesbeck, was found in a cotton patch Saturday, October 22, at 9 a. m. by W. B. Tucker, of Corsicana.

In the balloon was instructions for mailing it back to the Groesbeck bureau and sealed metal case in which instruments were inclosed for recording findings.

Mr. Tucker turned the balloon and equipment over to the local postoffice authorities to be returned to Groesbeck. Apparently the instrument case was intact and the other equipment was in good condition.



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## WILL ROGERS HAS ORDERED TWO CASES CORSICANA CHILI

Will Rogers, internationally famous humorist and commentator on international affairs, likes his chili. When the Rogers party visited in Corsicana early in 1927, the cowboy comedian was presented with a case of chili; as a result the following telegram was received Monday:

Los Angeles, Calif., Oct. 23, 1927. Lyman's Pure Food Products Company, Corsicana, Texas.

Please send me C. O. D. two cases of Lyman's Famous Wolf Brand Chili, the best chili that can be bought, 925 Beverly Drive, Beverly Hills.—Will Rogers.

Rogers evidently has a warm spot in his heart for Corsicana as this is the second occasion on which he has requested Corsicana products, the first occasion being an order for photographs from the Tessie Dickson Studios.

### Cards of Thanks

We wish to take this method of thanking our friends for the kind words and sweet considerations shown us during the recent illness and death of our son and brother, Clarence Nichols, and we especially thank each and every one for the beautiful floral offerings and may God's richest blessings rest on you as our prayer.

—His Father, Mother, Brothers and Sisters.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for their many deeds of kindness shown us during the recent illness and death of our dear mother and grandmother. We also wish to thank our faithful physician, Dr. Slater, who administered to her so kindly.

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### Sick and Convalescent.

Sam H. Foster remains seriously ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Legie Layton, 515 South Fourteenth street. Miss Myrtle Foster of Dallas, Mrs. Foster of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Foster of Fort Worth, were here during the week-end to visit him. Miss Myrtle Foster returning to Dallas Sunday while the others are remaining here.

H. S. Percevalle was brought to the Corsicana Hospital and Clinic Sunday evening for medical treatment.

Benjamin Crouch, who has been in the Corsicana Hospital and Clinic for several days following a major operation, is convalescing rapidly.

Mrs. John Kelly is gradually improving at the Corsicana Hospital and Clinic.

T. C. Beasley of Kerens was able to be moved to his home at Kerens after a several days illness at the Corsicana Hospital and Clinic.

Miss Nannie Melton was moved to her home Saturday following a several week's illness at the Corsicana Hospital and Clinic.

Mrs. J. A. Hartmangruber underwent a major operation at the Navarro County Hospital and was moved to her home late Monday afternoon.

Earl Thomas underwent a major operation at the Navarro County Hospital Monday morning. Henry Bounds of Wortham was able to be moved to his home Sunday after several weeks in the Navarro County Hospital following a major operation.

W. J. Owens, who was injured at the carnival last Thursday night when struck in the head by a flying swing, was able to be moved to his home on the Tidal lease, in the Powell field from the Navarro County Hospital Monday.

F. E. Hill of Fairfield was brought to the Navarro County Hospital late Sunday afternoon for treatment.

The condition of Miss Johnnie Mae Pugh, who has been seriously ill in the Navarro County Hospital for several days, following an operation for appendicitis, was reported as practically unchanged by hospital attendants Monday afternoon.

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10 small boxes Borax Washing Powder	38c
10 No. 2 cans Country Gentleman Corn	\$1.49
10 cans American Sardines only	49c
10 bars Van Camp's Soap	34c

Bob Miller's Cash Grocery

## BOARD DIRECTORS CHAMBER COMMERCE TO MEET TUESDAY

Further discussion of the proposed Corsicana reunion of former citizens will be among the matters for attention of the Chamber of Commerce directors Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock.

Directors have resumed their regular semi-monthly conferences on each alternate Tuesday. All members of the Chamber who have suggestions to offer for consideration are invited to attend these meetings.

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